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TREASURY OFFERING ANNOUNCEMENT¹

Term and Type of Security	9-Year 9-Month 1-3/8% TIPS
	(Reopening)
Offering Amount	\$6,000,000,000
Currently Outstanding	\$8,001,000,000
Adjusted Amount Currently Outstanding	\$8,156,000,000
CUSIP Number	912828JE1
Auction Date	October 08, 2008
Original Issue Date	July 15, 2008
Issue Date	October 15, 2008
Maturity Date	July 15, 2018
Dated Date	July 15, 2008
Series	D-2018
Real Yield	Determined at Auction
Interest Rate	1-3/8%
Interest Payment Dates	January 15 and July 15
Accrued Interest from 07/15/2008 to 10/15/2008	\$3.43750 Per \$1,000
Adjusted Accrued Interest Payable by Investor Premium or Discount	\$3.50010 Per \$1,000
Pleinium of Discount	Determined at Auction
Minimum Amount Required for STRIPS	\$100
Corpus CUSIP Number	912820RB5
TIIN conversion factor per \$1,000	3.188184454
Maximum Award	\$2,100,000,000
Maximum Recognized Bid at a Single Yield	\$2,100,000,000
NLP Reporting Threshold	\$2,100,000,000
NLP Exclusion Amount	\$2,900,000,000
Scheduled Purchases in Treasury Direct	\$7,000,000
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Minimum Bid Amount and Multiples	\$100
Competitive Bid Yield Increments ²	0.001%
Maximum Noncompetitive Award	\$5,000,000
Eligible for Holding in Treasury Direct	Yes
Eligible for Holding in Legacy Treasury Direct	Yes
Estimated Amount of Maturing Coupon Securities Held by the Public	\$15,022,000,000
Maturing Date SOMA Heldings Meturing	October 15, 2008
SOMA Amounts Included in Offering Amount	\$974,000,000
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FIMA Amounts Included in Offering Amount ³	Yes
Noncompetitive Closing Time	12:00 Noon ET
Competitive Closing Time	1:00 p.m. ET
CPI Base Reference Period	1002 1004
Ref CPI 07/15/2008	1982-1984 215.63997
Ref CPI 10/15/2008 Ref CPI 10/15/2008	219.56748
Index Ratio 10/15/2008	1.01821
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Governed by the Terms and Conditions set forth in The Uniform Offering Circular for the Sale and Issue of Marketable Book-Entry Treasury Bills, Notes, and Bonds (31 CFR Part 356, as amended), and this offering announcement.

²Must be expressed as a yield with three decimals e.g., 7.123%.

³FIMA up to \$1,000 million in noncompetitive bids from Foreign and International Monetary Authority not to exceed \$100 million per account.